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## Democratic State Ticket



Governor.

W. C. McDONALD, Carrizozo.

Lieutenant-Governor,

E. C. De BACA, Las Vegas.

Secretary of State,

ANTONIO J. LUCERO, Las Vegas.

State Treasurer.

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Attorney General,

W. R. MCGLL, LaLande.

State Auditor.

FRANCISCO DELGADO, Santa Fe.

Superintendent of Public Instruction,

ALVIN N. WHITE, Silver City.

Justices of the Peace Court,

SUMMERS BURKHART, Albuquerque.

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W. A. DUNN, Roswell.

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SEPERHO-MALIBALI, Edana.

GEORGE H. VAN STONE, Estancia.

Public Library Commissioner,

JOHN L. SMITHSON,

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Portales.

State Senator:

JOH J. W. TERRY.

State Representative from San Fe, Guadalupe and Torrance Counties

J. A. KAIL.

State Representative, Torrance County

A. J. GRISWOLD.

Douglas and -

J. V. LEVITT.

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M. O. LEE-WELLYN

Sheriff:

JUANUS ALLEN

Chancery and Recorder

J. J. COOPER

Treasurer and Collector

ANGUS McGILLIVRAY

Assessor:

DR. LOVELL.

Police Officer:

JOSE DE JESUS ROMERO

Superintendent of Schools

IMA L. DICK.

Commissioner, 1st District

LORINZO ZAMORA

Commissioner, 2d District

JUAN CRUZ SANchez

Commissioner, 3d District

W. H. TURNER

Sheriff:

J. A. MCGOWAN.

S. A. Hollenback returned Thursday night from a business trip to Santa Fe.

The Republican campaigners came in from the mountain towns yesterday afternoon, to attend the grand juntas tonight. Attorney H. B. Hamilton, candidate for district attorney, came in with the local candidates.

## THE FACTS IN REGARD TO BURSUM

Following the discovery by the governor of New Mexico in 1906 that the accounts of the territorial penitentiary were in a hopeless tangle, the Colorado Title and Trust Company of Colorado Springs, at the instance of the territory, made a thorough investigation into the management of the prison by H. O. Bursum, the superintendent, who had been recently removed from office.

While that investigation was under way and before any report was rendered, the territorial treasurer received the following letter from Mr. Bursum:

Socorro, N.M., July 27, 1906.  
Hon. J. H. Vaughn, Treas.,  
Santa Fe, N. M.

Dear Sir:—In checking over my accounts with the penitentiary, I find error to the amount of \$1,727.00 and enclose remittance for credit penitentiary convicts earnings fund of cover.

This error occurred as follows: One payment of A. Windsor, \$1,027.00 Oct. 1902, having been omitted and no credit seems to appear on journal. The other item is \$700 which shows on the treasurer's books to have been paid May 26, 1899, during my administration, but upon investigation I find that said money was paid by Col. E. H. Bergman and therefore I was not entitled to credit thereto. Kindly acknowledge receipt and oblige.

Yours,  
H. O. BURSUM.

Do the people of New Mexico want a governor who makes that kind of errors?—Albuquerque Morning Journal

## CAMPAGNERS ARE MAKING GOOD

A letter received by the News from Democratic campaigners, at Duran, reports an enthusiastic meeting there, with a large attendance. The republicans on a couple of them tried to cause a disturbance, but this was soon settled and the meeting went on successfully. The candidates are making votes for the ticket wherever they go. At Alama, the outlook is good, or a large number of Democratic votes.

At Linota, Encino and Duran, there will be more democratic votes cast on November 7th than ever before. The ticket is recognized as a strong one by the voters and one which they can support without hesitation, which can not be said of the opposition. The voters are supporting the ticket, man with man, and the result is favorable to the Democratic ticket.

C. R. Easley came down from Santa Fe Thursday night to assist in the work at democratic headquarters here.

## Efficient Men Needed for Commissioners

The office of county commissioner is one of the most important among the county offices, as this office has the letting of all contracts and the auditing and paying of all bills for the county. Businessmen, who can and do rely on their business sense, should be chosen to fill this office. And, in the transaction of the people's business, men who know the people should be chosen.

A figure head, who must postpone action on important matters until the "boss" is consulted, is not a fit person to fill the position. Lorenzo Zamora, who is candidate for the commissionership from the first district is a man of the people, who understands the people, a businessman who has conducted his private business on business principles and who has numerous friends not only in his home precinct but in the whole county. Juan Cruz Sanchez, the candidate from the second district is a young man of sterling character, whose business ability is unquestioned. Both gentlemen speak both English and Spanish, and are not ruled by any boss. When business comes before them, it will be settled then and there, and not lie on the table for further consideration and never taken up again.

A glance at the records of the commissioners shows that much important business has been treated in the same manner during the past, and merely allowed to die a natural death while waiting to be taken up again. A change in the personnel of the board is imperative, if the business of the county is to be conducted as it should be.

## FIRST SNOW OF SEASON

The rain of Thursday night turned into snow about mid night, and yesterday morning the ground was covered with a white blanket several inches in depth. On account of the rain which preceded the snow, the latter did not last long, although snow continued falling till almost noon. The ground is wet and slushy and the roads are heavy. Plenty of moisture now foretells good crops next season.

## Proceedings of County Commissioners

At an adjourned meeting of the board of county commissioners held at Estancia, Torrance county, this 23rd day of October, A. D. 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m., present the Honorable Jesus Candelaria and Julian R. Romero, the sheriff, Julius Meyer, and the clerk by his deputy.

The proceedings of the previous meeting were left for approval until the regular meeting.

The board ordered a proclamation of election to be published and entered in the proceedings, calling a general election for the 7th day of November, 1911, at which time state, judicial, legislative and county officers will be elected according to the proclamation of the Governor of the Territory of New Mexico, as certified to him by the President of the United States, under the act of Congress admitting New Mexico to statehood, the said act having been approved on August 21, 1911, the said election to be called and held in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 105, of the Session Laws of the Territorial Legislature of 1909.

Now the board proceeded to select the judges of election in each precinct to preside at the election on November 7, 1911, as follows:

Precinct No. 1, House of Cisilio Sanchez.

Precinct No. 2, House of Porfirio Benavidez.

Precinct No. 3, School house.

Precinct No. 4, House of Francisco Serna.

Precinct No. 5, House of Daniel Torres.

Precinct No. 6, House of Rumaldo Mirabal.

Precinct No. 7, House of Victor Lueras.

Precinct No. 8, House of Joe Davis.

Precinct No. 9, House of Jose Ma. Abeyta.

Precinct No. 10, School house.

Precinct No. 11, House of Enrique Sabedra.

Precinct No. 12, House of Perfecto Jaramillo.

Precinct No. 13, House of Canuto Contreras.

Precinct No. 14, School house.

Precinct No. 15, House of Gregorio Sanchez.

Precinct No. 16, School house.

Precinct No. 17, House of Gil Perea.

Now being no further business the board adjourned till the 13th day of November, 1911.

vez, Louis De Wolfe.

Precinct No. 12, Perfecto Jaramillo, to receive ballot box and election supplies, Eugenio Perez, C. E. Davenport.

Precinct No. 13, Nicolas Sisneros, to receive ballot box and election supplies, Canuto Contreras, Preciliiano Carrillo.

Precinct No. 14, Feliciano Perez, to receive ballot box and election supplies, Democio Chavez, J. A. Goodrich.

Precinct No. 15, Gregorio Sanchez, to receive ballot box and election supplies, Chas. H. Morrison, J. C. Collins.

Precinct No. 16, Pedro Garcia, to receive ballot box and election supplies, Ciriaco Mora, J. B. Woodall.

Precinct No. 17, Polinario Chavez, to receive ballot box and election supplies, Donaciano Chavez y Salas, B. W. Means.

Now the board proceeded to select the places where the election be conducted on November 7, 1911, as follows:

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## Meeting of Ladies Club

The Ladies club met at the home of Mrs. Monte Goodin on Thursday afternoon, with 15 members and two visitors present. Mrs. Goodin had her home beautifully decorated. The ladies spent a couple of hours in embroidery work and at 4 o'clock the hostess, assisted by Mesdames Ewing and Travis, served an elegant luncheon consisting of cake, cream, pickles, coffee, oranges and plums. Mrs. Garvin, the president, will leave shortly and the Club extended her a vote of appreciation of her good work while in the executive chair.

Plans for the Lyceum course were further discussed, especially in regard to the raising of the balance of the funds. It was decided to give a short play, entitled "The Old Maid's Convention," in the near future.